# BEARFACTS 1993 – 2003 Newberry, South Carolina [45071]

Newberry is one of 46 counties in South Carolina. It is part of the Newberry, SC Micropolitan SA. Its 2003 population of 36,636 ranked 27th in the state.

### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2003 Newberry had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$21,659. This PCPI ranked 26th in the state and was 84 percent of the state average, \$25,852, and 69 percent of the national average, \$31,504. The 2003 PCPI reflected an increase of 3.8 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 2.0 percent and the national change was 2.2 percent. In 1993 the PCPI of Newberry was \$15,204 and ranked 23rd in the state. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.0 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2003 Newberry had a total personal income (TPI) of \$793,495\*. This TPI ranked 27th in the state and accounted for 0.7 percent of the state total. In 1993 the TPI of Newberry was \$519,106\* and ranked 26th in the state. The 2003 TPI reflected an increase of 4.0 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 3.0 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.3 percent and for the nation was 5.1 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Newberry. In 2003 net earnings accounted for 64.0 percent of TPI (compared with 64.0 in 1993); dividends, interest, and rent were 12.4 percent (compared with 16.2 in 1993); and personal current transfer receipts were 23.6 percent (compared with 19.8 in 1993). From 2002 to 2003 net earnings increased 7.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 10.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 4.5 percent. From 1993 to 2003 net earnings increased on average 4.3 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 1.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.2 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Newberry increased from \$447,635\* in 2002 to \$486,670\* in 2003, an increase of 8.7 percent. The 2002-2003 state change was 4.4 percent and the national change was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1993 estimate of \$312,202\* to the 2003 estimate was 4.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.0 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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